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Venice, Feb. 13. N. S.

THE Senate here have at laſt reſolved to conclude a Truce of 25 Years with the *Turks*, and accordingly have ſent Orders to the Ambaſſador of this Republick in *Hungary*, to ſign the Treaty on the Conditions ſtipulated for them by the Emperor, which are in ſubſtance, That the Republick ſhall reſtore to the Port the Fortreſs of *Lepanto* in the Condition 'tis at preſent, and the Caſtles of *Romelia* and *Preveſa* after having diſmantled them; That the *Venetians* ſhall keep the whole *Morea*, and all they are at preſent poſſeſſed of in *Dalmatia*; That the Republick of *Raguſa* ſhall be permitted to Trade with the *Turks*, and be allowed a free Paſſage for their Merchandiſes through the Land of *Trebigne* in *Dalmatia* as formerly; And 'tis further agreed, That the Republick and the Sultan ſhall appoint Commiſſioners to meet at ſome convenient Place on the Confines of *Dalmatia*, to ſettle the Limits between their reſpective Dominions. At the ſame time, Notice was ſent to the Captain-General of the *Venetian* Fleet, of the Progreſs that has been made in this Great Work, with Orders to forbear all further Acts of Hoſtility. A kind of an Earthquake happened here laſt *Wedneſday*, but did little or no Damage. The Ships the *John and Lawrence*, and the *Robert and Thomas*, arrived here this day from *Yarmouth*.

Warſaw, Feb. 13. The King has Ratified the Treaty with the *Turks*, and has ſent Orders to the Commanders of his Forces for ceaſing all Acts of Hoſtility. Preparations are already making to evacuate the Places that are to be delivered up to the *Turks* in *Moldavia* and *Walachia*, and Directions are given to the Crown-General, to appoint a ſufficient number of Forces to be put into Garriſon at *Caminiec*, and the other Places in *Podolia* and *Ukrania*, which are to be reſtored by the *Turks*. It's likewiſe agreed by the late Treaty, that for the better Security of the Frontiers of this Kingdom, the *Tartars*, who have uſed of late years to Rendezvous at ſeveral Places on the Borders of *Moldavia*, in order to make Incurſions into the Territories of this Kingdom, ſhall be removed from theſe Places, and not permitted to harbour there for the future. The 14th of *March* next being appointed to begin the Conferences at *Breſlaw*, for accommodating the Buſineſs of *Elbing*, Diſpatches are preparing for the Biſhop of *Ploſko* and the Weywode of *Mariembourg*, whom the King has appointed to be his Plenipotentiaries, and who in a few days will begin their Journey thither.

Vienna, Feb. 18. The Ratifications of the late Treaty with the *Ottoman* Port, are ſigned by the Emperor, and ſent to *Hungary* in order to be exchanged.

By this Treaty, a Truce is concluded between the two Empires for 25 Years, to begin from the day of the ſigning this Treaty, *viz.* the 26th of *January*, 1699. It is likewiſe Agreed, That *Tranſilvania* ſhall remain in the Hands of the Emperor, as 'tis at preſent. The Province of *Temeſwaur*, with all its Dependencies, to belong to the *Turks*. The Country of *Batſcha* to be yielded to the Emperor. The Ridge of Mountains that lie between *Tranſilvania*, *Moldavia*, and *Walachia*, together with the Rivers *Maros* and *Theyſſe*, are to be the Boundaries between the two Empires on that ſide the *Danube*; and accordingly *Caranſebes*, *Lippa*, *Chonad*, and ſome other ſmall Places at preſent in the hands of the *Germans*, are to be diſmantled and delivered up to the *Turks*, who are not to refortify them, or to make any other Fortreſſes along the ſaid Rivers. From the *Danube*, over-againſt the entrance into the *Theyſſe*, a Line is to be drawn to the *Save*, where the *Boſſut* falls into that River, and from thence the *Save* and the River *Unna* are to be the Limits of *Selavonia* and *Croatia* which are to remain in the Emperor's Poſſeſſion. Commiſſioners are to be appointed for the more particular Regulation of the Limits. It's left free to either ſide to fortify their Frontier Places, unleſs ſuch as are before excepted. All Incurſions are to be prevented for the future, and thoſe that moleſt the Inhabitants of either ſide to be ſeverely puniſhed. Diſaffected Perſons and Rebels are not be protected on either ſide; which however ſhall not hinder, but that ſuch Inhabitants of *Tranſilvania*, and others who have retired into the *Ottoman* Dominions during the War, may continue there under the Grand Signior's Protection; but if it be deſired, they ſhall remove from the Places near the *German* Frontiers. If any Difference ſhall hereafter ariſe about the Execution of this Treaty, Commiſſioners ſhall be appointed on both ſides to Adjuſt the ſame in an amicable manner. The Priſoners taken during the War ſhall be freely releaſed on both ſides, except ſuch as are in the hands of particular Perſons, and of the *Tartars*, for whom reaſonable Ranſoms ſhall be paid. The *Roman* Catholicks ſhall enjoy the ſame Privileges in the Grand Signior's Dominions as they did formerly. There ſhall be a free Commerce between the Subjects on both ſides, according to former Agreements and Stipulations. For the ſtrengthning of the Friendſhip and good Correſpondence between the two Empires, Ambaſſadors ſhall be ſent, and honourably received on both ſides, and their Characters ſhall be preſerved inviolable according to the Law of Nations. The Ambaſſadors on both ſides promiſe to procure from the Princes their reſpective Maſters the Ratifications of theſe Articles, ſo as that they may be exchanged within 30 days from the ſigning of this Treaty at fartheſt.

The *Muſcovites* and the *Turks* have agreed, That there ſhall be between them a Truce for 2 Years, to begin from the 25th of *December*, 1698. during which time, all manner of Hoſtilities ſhall ceaſe on both ſides, as likewiſe between the *Muſcovites* and